



# Mrs. Verhoef's Preschool 4

## Weekly Newsletter

### December 2-6, 2024



**Unit of Study:** Christmas Advent Calendar, Christmas Chains, Angels

**Bible Story:** The Annunciation – Angel Gabriel Visits Mary

**Bible Verse:** “For unto us a Child is born; to us a Son is given.” -Isaiah 9:8

**Pajama Day:** On Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, come to school dressed in your pajamas. No onesies or slippers please.

**Academics to practice this Week:** Shape: Diamond Color: Green Number: 18 Letter: M

**Featured Composer:** Johann Strauss, Jr.

**Share Time:** Children may bring one item from home relating to the unit of study or that starts with the letter that we are studying. Share day is every Thursday for our T/TH students and every Friday for our M/W/F students. Our 5-day students can choose either Thursday or Friday (but not both days) to share. Please label your child's share item with their name.

#### **Home Enrichment Activities:**

- Make a chain out of green and red construction paper and let your child rip one each day to count down to Christmas.
- Watch the Veggie Tales movie “The Best Christmas Gift” with your child.
- Read Luke 1:26-38. This is the part of the Christmas story when Mary was visited by the angel Gabriel and told that she was going to give birth to Jesus by the power of the Holy Spirit. Ask your child how they think Mary felt during this time.

In Christ,  
Mrs. Verhoef

